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Friends and Patrons: We are again presenting herewith our new Catalog of trees and plants. It certainly is the opportune time for it to reach you, and we trust it will be a welcome visitor to all. We are again pleased to greet the many customers who have dealt so generously with us during the past, we extend to them all our most hearty greetings. We have had a lifetime experience in growing fruits in connection with ten consecutive years in the Nursery business, growing and shipping trees and plants, which enables us to know what kinds and which varieties of trees, plants, to offer our customers that they may receive the best of results. We expect to be in the business the remainder of our lives, as we have been in the past, we shall as usual strive to please our customers, both old and new. We give to all of the work in the nurseries our personal attention, which enables us to keep all of our trees and plants clean, free from disease and insects, and true to name, we

do not leave the important work with our hired men as the best of them are not at all times heartily interested in the work. We are pleased, at any time, to show any of our friends and customers or others through our nurseries that they may inspect the stock which we offer. The past season with us in the nursery business was the most successful one yet. We wish to thank you, most especially those who sent us letters of praise about the stock we sent them, and those who recommended our stock to others, and trust we will continue to receive your patronage in the future. To you all we wish a prosperous 1916.

Yours respectfully,

G. E. BUNTING & SONS.

## Read Carefully Before Ordering.

**Orders.** Orders should be sent in just as soon as possible—it is better for you as well as the nurseryman.

**Time of Shipment.** From October 1st until May 15th. Our heaviest shipments are in March and April.

**Guarantee.** We guarantee all stock to reach customers in good condition when ordered by mail or express, and taken from the office on arrival and opened at once. All orders by freight at owners risk.

**Packing.** We make no extra charge for boxing and packing, all stock is delivered f. o. b. train at prices quoted in this catalog.

**True-to-Name.** While we exercise the greatest care to have every tree or plant true-to-name, and are ready, on proper proof, to replace any stock shipped by us that proves otherwise, free of charge, it is understood and agreed that we will not be held responsible for any sum greater than the cost of stock that accidentally may prove untrue.

**Terms.** Cash with order or satisfactory reference. Remit by Money Order, Registered Letter or Draft; Postage Stamps taken for orders less than one dollar.

**Reference.** As to our responsibility, we refer you to R. G. Dunn & Co. of Wilmington, Del., Baltimore Trust Co. of Selbyville; Selbyville National Bank of Selbyville.

**When Ordering.** Be sure to sign your name and address plain. No difference how often you may have written us, always give your full name and address, and write your Name, Postoffice, Express or Freight Office, Street or R.F.D. No., County and State very plainly. By so doing you will save us much trouble and avoid the possibility of delay or mistake in filling your orders.

**Claims.** If any, must be made within five days from receipt of goods. We cannot become responsible for misfortune of stock caused by droughts, floods, frosts, insects, and by stock not taken from the express office for several days after its arrival; in all cases notice will be sent you when goods are shipped.

**Application of Prices.** The prices in this catalog [except where noted] apply as follows: 1 to 4 trees are sold at the each rate; 5 to 49 are sold at the 10 rate; 50 to 299 are sold at the 100 rate; 300 or more are sold at the 1000 rate. When ordering please order under the above instructions as we cannot afford to ship stock in small quantities for the same price as for larger quantities, as labor is a heavy item of expense in the Nursery work, and every time a different variety of trees or plants is taken up the foreman with his men must move to a different place in the nurseries, which is very expensive, saying nothing of the extra work in packing, office work, etc. There is a reason. This is one of the things we would like to do but cannot.

**Specified Date of Shipping.** We want our customers to state the date they wish their orders shipped and we will always ship on that date when possible, but cannot guarantee it as weather conditions do not always permit digging the stock, for instance, during spring it will sometimes happen that we have some stormy weather, and during winter months the soil is often frozen for a few days at a time. We are always ready and do get right after filling your orders at the earliest moment possible, when weather permits man and beast to be out of shelter, yet many times we are out when it is not favorable. While you are worrying about your order being filled quickly we are worrying just as much as you are and doing everything in our power to get it to you. We kindly ask you to give us your order early and state date you wish it shipped, then we seldom fail to get it off on that date.

**Twenty Five.** All plants are tied in bundles of 26 for 25, giving you 40 plants extra on every 1000 ordered.

**Special Prices.** We quote very attractive prices on large orders. Send us your want list for quotations.

**We cannot Guarantee Stock to Live.** Wish we could guarantee stock we send out to live in all instances. The severe cold and heavy storms of winter and droughts of spring, summer and autumn which is liable to occur will sometimes cause the best of trees and plants to perish. We know the stock is right when we ship it. We use the best moss obtainable when packing and are very particular that every bundle is correctly labeled and we stand ready to rectify any error that may possibly occur in filling an order. Stock often perishes when it is not properly planted and cultivated, also by the use of too much commercial fertilizer of high analysis at the roots when planting it, which is no fault of ours.

## STRAWBERRIES

WE GROW MILLIONS OF STRAWBERRY  
PLANTS ON OUR OWN SOIL

There is no crop more profitable than Strawberries, there being as much profit in one acre of strawberries as there is in from five to eight acres of corn, and it does not cost much to get started in the Strawberry business. There is no fruit more attractive or more sought after than the Strawberry. We have had a lifetime experience in growing Strawberries, and there will be found in our list the standard varieties—the kinds that you can depend upon. “**The Greatest Strawberry Center in the World**” is a true proof that our plants are of the best quality. Selbyville, Delaware, where we are located ships more Strawberries each season than any other one town or city in the world; during the season of 1915, 653 car loads of Strawberries were grown and shipped from Selbyville, saying nothing of the great quantity used by the canning factories. Strawberries grown here have proved the best grown. Commission merchants of the largest cities claim that Strawberries shipped from Selbyville, Delaware are much larger and of better quality than those shipped from any other point in the country. This fact positively proves that the plants which produce these berries are strong, healthy, well-rooted and first class in every respect. WHY? Not altogether because they are fertilized and receive better attention in every way than those grown in other sections of the country. If you should visit this section of the country you could easily see for yourself, it is because the soil and climate here contains all that is necessary to produce the best of Strawberry plants, therefore, we claim and do grow Strawberry plants which are as good and excel those grown in many sections of the country. We have grown several millions of plants for shipment next spring. We want you to join the hundreds of growers of Strawberries who send us their orders every year. We assure you entire satisfaction in the way of neat packing and prompt shipping, and plants as good as grown anywhere in this country.

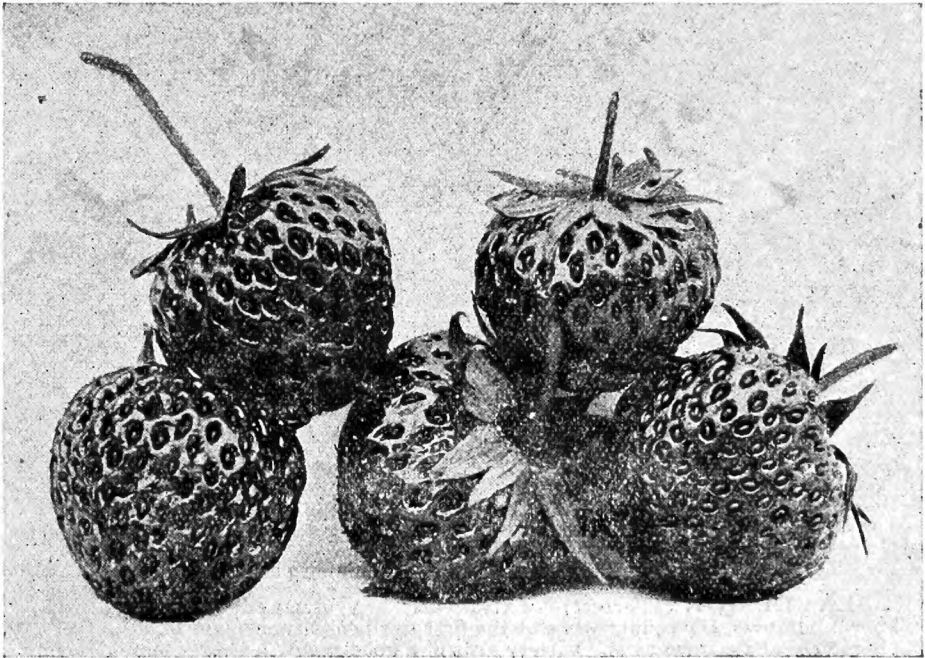
Gentlemen:

Bushnell, Fla., Jan. 13, '15.

*I am pleased to advise you that my trees have arrived and will say that they are the best I ever received from any nursery. I wish you much success and hope to deal with you in the future. Many thanks for your promptness and fine stock.*

Yours truly,

G. Offerdinger.



KLONDYKE

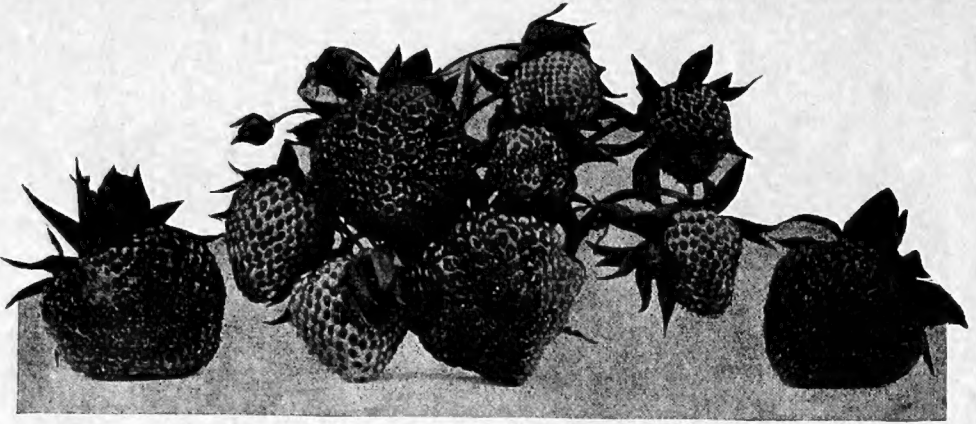
## Description of Varieties

**EARLY OZARK**—(Perfect). Extra early. The very best variety in several sections of the country. Fruit is somewhat of the Excelsior type, but of better flavor and much larger in size; fruit almost round and very firm. For the past two years nurserymen have been unable to supply the demand for plants of this great variety which is extensively planted in the North, Central and Western states. Enormously productive of berries larger than Klondyke.

**MISSIONARY**—(Perfect). Early. The most popular early Strawberry grown in the southern states at this time, and has been extensively planted in Delaware and Maryland the past two years. It is also giving very good results in the northern states and is expected by many to become the leading early variety in many sections throughout the north and western states. The berry is of large size, beautifully shaped, good color and firm, a very heavy bearer and one of the best plant makers. Shows no sign of rust.

**KLONDYKE**—(Perfect). Medium early. Proved a gold mine with many growers here at Selbyville during the fruiting season of 1915. It is extensively planted throughout the southern states and California where it seems to be the leading variety for the early market. It is noted for its firmness which enables it to be shipped several hundred miles without being damaged to any great extent. The only fault that can be found of the Klondyke is that it will not bear as many berries as some other early varieties. The fruit is of large size and highly flavored.





BRANDYWINE

**BRANDYWINE**—(Perfect). Late. A standard old variety the country over. Fruit extra large and very firm, there is no berry any more solid than Brandywine, has unexcelled shipping qualities. The leading variety in California. The fruit being shipped several hundred miles without becoming soft is a credit to any variety of strawberries. We ship more Brandywine in California than all the other states combined. A very good one for canning purposes.

**EXCELSIOR**—(Perfect). Extra early. A standard old variety, well known all over the country, one of the first to ripen, size medium to large, very productive and as firm as any variety grown, a good plant maker even on poor soil. No sign of disease.

**EWELL'S EARLY**—(Perfect). Extra early. We fruited this variety last season and were highly pleased with the results; the fruit is of large size and makes a fine showing. Very productive.

**RED BIRD**—(Imperfect). Early. This variety originated in Mississippi. Is very productive of medium size red berries. It is a pistillate and should be planted near some perfect flowering variety for best results.

**CLIMAX**—(Perfect). Early. This variety is planted throughout the country and is giving the best of results, it is a heavy yielder of very large berries, well shaped, firm enough and red to the center.

**SUPERIOR**—(Perfect). Early. One of the greatest plant makers and is noted for its productiveness and good shipping qualities. Berries large and firm with many of them.

**FAIRFIELD**—(Perfect). Extra early. Larger than Excelsior in size but not as firm; has far better eating qualities. It is the best early berry we grow for home consumption and local markets.

**LADY THOMPSON**—(Perfect). Medium early. A great southern variety. Has been extensively planted all over the country; fruit large, pink in color, ordinary firm; plants deep rooters, very good in dry localities. An old standard variety the country over.

Gentlemen:

*I am well pleased with the extra fine California Privel you sent me. Was in good condition when I received it.*

*Laurel, Del., May 1, '15.*

*E. John Hearn.*

**GANDY**

**GANDY**—(Imperfect). Late. Too well known for a description. It is exceedingly popular with growers the country over. Should never be planted on dry, sandy soil. This variety is extensively grown here at Selbyville for the late market sort.

**NICK OHMER**—(Perfect). Late. An old standard late variety that has been tested the country over. Fruit is firm, large in size, rich in flavor and unsurpassed as a long distance shipper; plants very strong and free from disease. An extra good plant maker.

**SENATOR DUNLAP**—(Perfect). Very early mid-season. This variety is now being heavily planted all over the country. It is a heavy yielder of big red berries that are firm and attractive; sells for top prices; heavy bearer and one of the best shippers; no sign of disease. A reliable market berry.

**EARLY RAMBLER**—(Perfect). Extra early. One of the earliest to ripen. Ordinary firm; produces immense crops of big berries; foliage healthy.

**EARLY QUEEN**—(Perfect). Early to mid-season. Foliage very strong and free from rust. Fruit extra large of decided banana flavor. Very popular for home use.

**EARLY HATHWAY**—(Perfect). Early. Fruit is large in size; very productive and firm, one of the best shipping varieties grown. Has been extensively planted here at Selbyville for market purposes.

**WARFIELD**—(Imperfect). Early. An old variety that can always be depended upon. Well known throughout the entire country where strawberries are grown, its great beauty, firmness and good color makes it exceedingly popular. Very productive and vigorous, and a good plant maker.

**BUBACH**—(Imperfect). Mid-season. This is an old standard variety, well known the country over. Fruit extra large, bright red with a tendency to show a waxy surface; foliage very strong of a dark green color. One of the very best mid-season sorts.

**BARKLEY**—(Perfect). Early mid-season. A deep rooter; extra large crimson foliage. Produces large crops of big, red berries. Very popular in the northern states.

**HELEN DAVIS**—(Perfect). Mid-season. Noted for its productiveness and very long fruiting season. Fruit very large and firm; foliage tall and green. A good plant maker.

**RYCKMAN**—(Perfect). Mid-season. Produces an abundance of very large and vigorous plants, and tremendous crops of very large berries. It is noted for producing great crops on very poor soils. We find it less liable to disease and insects than any other variety. One of the best mid-season sorts.

Gentlemen:

Pittsburg, Pa., May 7, '15.

*The 3,000 Strawberry plants which you shipped yesterday came early this afternoon, which I think is making good time for express goods which have to make nearly a 500 mile journey. The plants certainly do look fine.*

Yours truly, Dr. J. J. Buchanan.

**GLEN MARY**—(Imperfect). Mid-season. An old standard variety extensively planted the country over. A veritable giant in both fruit and foliage. The big, dark red berries with prominent seeds of bright yellow lie in piles around the plant and forms a tempting and attractive appearance. Fruit firm and a good market berry.

**PARKERS' EARLE**—(Perfect). Mid-season. Strong grower of very large plants; fruit ordinary large and firm, excellent flavor and good shipper.

**PINEAPPLE**—(Perfect). Mid-season. Fruit large of decided flavor, firm and very attractive.

**TENNESSEE PROLIFIC**.—(Perfect). Mid-season. A well known old standard variety and one of the best market sorts. Like Parsons' Beauty, it succeeds over a great variety of soils. Very productive of bright red berries. This variety is a good pollenizer, a good one to plant with imperfect varieties, such as Haverland, Glen Mary, etc.

Gentlemen:

Springfield, Mass., May 17, '15.

*I received the Strawberry and Raspberry plants you sent me last week all O. K. They were in fine shape and am very much pleased with them. Thanking you for your prompt delivery of same, I am*

Yours truly,

E. L. Burnstead.

**MARSHALL**—(Perfect). Mid-season. A moderate plant maker of choice, strong, well rooted plants; fruit large to very large, colored through and through, flavor as fine as one could wish, very firm and attractive. A standard variety.

**WILSON**—(Perfect). Mid-season. Probably the oldest strawberry in America, and is today not surpassed by any other variety for productiveness; fruit large and firm of high flavor. A great plant maker which are very strong and will succeed on any soil that will grow strawberries.

**THREE W'S**—(Perfect). Mid-season. Originated in Tennessee. Plants are very large and vigorous; fruit is of large size, good color and extra strong flavor.

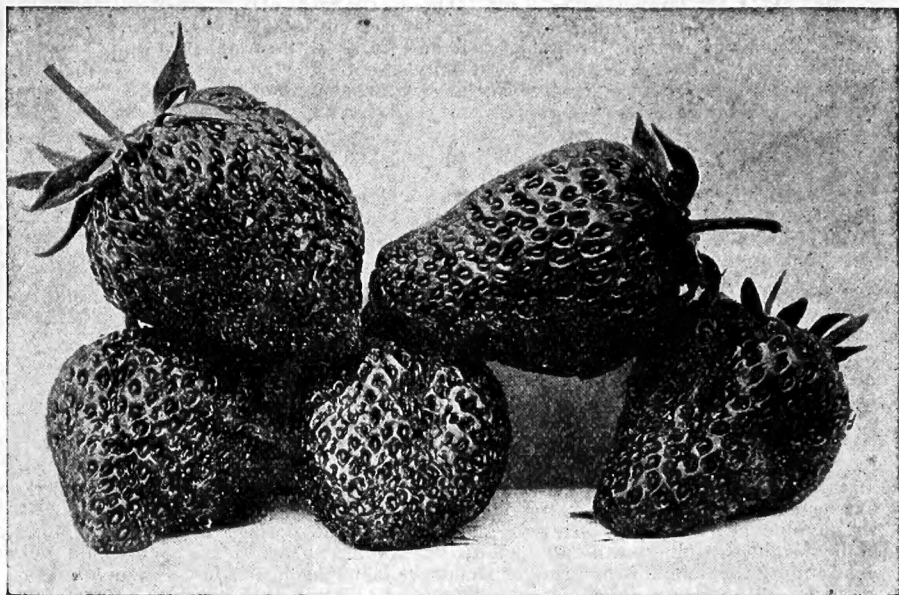
Gentlemen:

Canaan, N. Y., Feb. 19, '15.

*Enclosed find money order for the following order for stock. The Giant Argenteuil Asparagus roots, Grape vines and Apple trees bought of you last year are growing fine, no better stock could be grown than this, also price is right.*

C. E. Wagner,





LADY CORNEILLE

**LADY CORNEILLE**—(Perfect). Early. Originated in Louisiana. A new variety that was highly recommended to us by parties who had fruited it and claimed by many to be better than Klondyke or Lady Thompson and is being extensively planted throughout the southern states. It is much more productive than Klondyke and continues bearing longer; fruit is very firm and the best shipper known. Berries are borne from the soil on heavy fruit stems, each berry maturing a perfect berry of large size.

**CLYDE**—(Perfect). Mid-season. Very large, wonderfully prolific, yields great crops of berries. A severe drought seems to affect it as it does many other varieties, thus for best results plant it on rich, moist soil.

**SUCCESS**—(Perfect). Mid-season. One of the most popular of all mid-season varieties. The berries are globular, slightly conical in form and of a bright scarlet color, the flavor is mild, sweet and rich. Very productive.

**BISMARCK**—(Perfect). Mid-season. Produces an abundance of fruit, out-yielding Bubach. Shape obtuse, conical, never coxcombed; very firm, color bright scarlet, no green tips; fine flavor; season medium to very late; larger in size than Bubach.

**WOLVERTON**—(Perfect). Early. This variety has been grown to a large extent for the past twenty five years. A very strong grower on any soil that will produce strawberries; fruit large and firm of bright color; excellent shipping qualities.

**MAPLES EARLY**—(Perfect). Early. A great commercial berry; very productive and a good plant maker; berries large and attractive, noted for their firmness; color a dark red; the fruit stems are large which enables them to support the fruit from the ground. Plants show no signs of rust.

**SAMPLE**—(Imperfect). Late. One of the most attractive of all medium to late varieties, producing not only large berries but immense quantities of them as well. This extremely large berry is bright red, the inner part being a deep scarlet, very firm and one of the best shippers. A good one; extensively planted in the middle and western states. We have a large stock of Sample this year and think we can fill all orders.

**NEW YORK**—(Perfect). Mid-season. This is a popular mid-season variety. The plants are strong growers, makes many runners, of large size, free from disease, one of the healthiest varieties we grow. Fruit very large and ordinary firm, holds size well until the end of the season; noted for producing extra large crops on very poor soils. A good one and extensively planted in the middle west and northern states.

**HUNDRED DOLLAR**—(Perfect). An extra strong grower. Similar to New York.

**HUMMER**—(Perfect). Similar to New York.

**DORNAN**—(Perfect). Similar to New York.

**McKINLEY**—(Perfect). Similar to New York.

**PRIDE OF DELAWARE**—(Perfect). Late. We are the originators and introducers of this new berry. Fruit large and roundish, rarely mis-shaped, extra heavy bearer. One of the deepest rooters of all strawberry plants, in fact we have never grown any variety of strawberries that rooted so deep, very popular in dry localities; foliage tall and upright, has a dark green leaf. We could not near supply the demand for Pride of Delaware last season, but have a much larger stock for 1916.

**WM. BELT**—(Perfect). Mid-season. Considered by many to be the best grown in the United States. The plant is vigorous and succeeds upon a great variety of soils and always yields very heavily of very large berries. It is firm and a good shipper and gives large pickings for a longer period than most varieties. A very good one.

**UNCLE JIM**—(Perfect). Mid-season. Fruit extremely large of a decided Banana flavor, one of the largest and best mid-season varieties grown; has proved satisfactory in all central, western and northern states.

**OSWEGO**—(Perfect). Mid-season. Large, firm and productive; a reliable market berry, excellent. Similar to Uncle Jim.

**REWASTICO**—(Perfect). Late. Originated in Wicomico county, Md. by Thos. H. Howard; introduced by W. F. Allen, who considers it the only real competitor the Chesapeake has. Fruit is highly colored which penetrates through and through the berry, which is uniformly large and very firm, unsurpassed as a shipper; plants are as strong and healthy as any we grow; a good plant maker, we unhesitatingly recommend this berry to any grower.

**STEVENS' LATE CHAMPION**—(Perfect). Late. This variety is extensively planted throughout the northern states. A descendent of the Gandy but will produce twice as many berries of large size but not quite as firm. A very handsome berry and does well on all kinds of soil. Fruit is large, flavor mild very productive in both fruit and foliage. A favorite with all northern growers.

**PARSONS' BEAUTY**—(Perfect). Mid-season. This variety is largely planted all over the United States. It will grow and produce fruit on any soil that will produce strawberries of any kind. It makes an extra heavy yield of big red berries. One of the best for canning purposes.



JOE JOHNSON

**JOE JOHNSON, Big Joe**—(Perfect). As large as Chesapeake and ripens a few days earlier, colors all over, no green tips, has a good strong flavor. Will thrive on a large number of soils, which is a credit to any variety of strawberries. One of the very best late varieties and was extensively planted last season. Any one who grows the Joe Johnson strawberries will detect more favorable points about this great berry than is here given.

**MYERS' NO. 1**—(Perfect). The berries ripen about three days before the Gandy. It will bear extra large crops let the weather be dry or wet. One of the deepest rooters and succeeds on all soils. Fruit ordinary size and firm, a general favorite for long distance shipping. Originated in Delaware.

**HAVERLAND**—(Imperfect). Mid-season. An old standard variety the country over and has been tested for a generation, is just as good today as it ever was. Plants strong growers; berries very firm, large and conical.

**EKEY or O. I. C.**—[Perfect]. Mid-season. Quality unsurpassed. Plants large and healthy, no sign of rust or disease of any kind. Fruit extra large and conical, holds its size well until the end of the season. Very productive.

**CHIPMAN'S SEEDLING**—[Perfect]. Early mid-season. One of the most popular mid-season varieties. Produces immense crops of bright red berries very large in size, fairly solid. A good seller. Plants root very deep and are perfectly healthy. Needs no further description.

**FENDALL**—[Imperfect]. Midseason. Originated in Maryland by Chas. E. Fendall. The fruit is of high flavor, bright red with extra large cap which draws immediate attention, very firm and one of the very best shippers, Plant some Fendall and we assure you the results will be great.

**BETHEL**—[Perfect]. Mid-season. We have watched this variety fruit for several seasons and are highly pleased with the results. Fruit extra large, fairly firm, good color and very productive.

**ABINGTON**—[Perfect]. Mid-season. Very similar to Bubach but much firmer and brighter in color; plants very prolific; fruit very large; foliage, healthy and very productive. A good one.

Gentlemen:

Salisbury, Md., March 15, '15.

The trees you sent me were the finest I have ever planted. I certainly thank you for this collection.

Respectfully yours,

E. W. Townsend.



CHESAPEAKE

**CHESAPEAKE**—[Perfect]. Late. One of the largest and most productive late varieties that we grow. Fruit very firm, extra large and roundish; plants the healthiest we ever saw grow, dark green in color, rich and vigorous, no rust, no disease, in fact no weakness of any kind. Undoubtedly the most popular berry in America. You will not go out of the way in planting largely of Chesapeake. Exceedingly productive of, very large, well made berries.

**NORWOOD**—[Perfect]. Midseason. This is the famous variety that has proved such a success in the state of Massachusetts. One of the very largest strawberries grown. Fruit bright red of good quality, plants extra large and strong growers.

**CORSICAN**—[Perfect]. Mid-season. Very large and productive of a rich melting flavor; plants strong and well rooted. Extensively grown in the northern states.

**PRIDE OF MICHIGAN**—[Perfect]. Mid-season. Produces immense crops of very large berries on almost any soil and in any climate that will produce corn.

**AROMA**—[Perfect]. Late. Popular wherever grown. Not quite as late as Gandy but will fruit almost as long, bears an immense crop of very fine berries that will stand shipping to long distance markets. Plants are strong growers, free from rust and disease. This variety is extensively planted by large growers and associations, and nurserymen do not always grow enough plants to supply the demand. Our stock for 1916 is large.



AROMA

**MASCOT**—[Perfect]. Late. This variety begins to ripen here with us about three days after the Gandy first start. We have extensively fruited this variety for several years, and can say it is one of the largest we grow and just as productive as any variety of Strawberries. The plants are strong growers making many runners. The demand for Mascot plants with us increases greater than most varieties and is now being extensively planted all over the country. Fruit is very firm, unsurpassed as a long distance shipper.

**EARLY WOODROW**. From all reports this is the best early berry introduced up to the present date. It has been thoroughly tested. Originated in Wicomico county, Md. Introduced in 1915 by Wilkins & Co., who, as well as others who have given it a trial, speak very highly of it. It is highly colored, very prolific, large in size and meets every requirement. We guarantee these plants to give satisfaction in every way if properly cared for.

**DUNCAN**—[Imperfect]. Ripens between Parsons' Beauty and Gandy varieties, resembling the Gandy very much in both fruit and foliage, but a much heavier yielder. The berries are large and will stand long distance shipping.

Gentlemen:

Barneget, N. J., April 26, '15.

The Peach trees and plants arrived on the 24th in good condition. Thanks for the prompt service, also for the careful way the goods were packed.

Yours respectfully,

T. S. Cranmer.

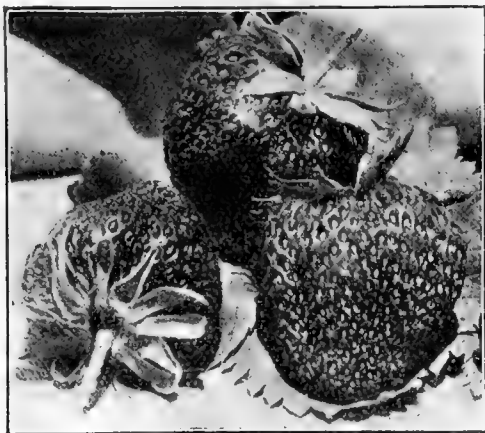
Gentlemen:

McKeanburg, Pa., April 26, '15.

The Strawberry plants you shipped me last Thursday arrived in excellent condition. They are the finest plants I ever received. Please accept thanks for your promptness in shipping.

Wm. B. Seltzer.





## Fall-Bearing Strawberries

Strawberries during August, September and October can be obtained by planting Fall-bearing strawberry plants; the only secret is to plant them in very fertile soil and keep all blossoms removed until the middle of July. In three weeks after this date you can pick ripe berries and the plants will continue bearing until freezing weather. **The fall or everbearing strawberries are no longer an experiment, they have come to stay and are extensively planted.**

**PROGRESSIVE**—[Perfect]. Fall-bearing. Considered the best of all fall-bearing varieties; a very strong and thrifty grower, makes many runners and fruits on the new plants the first season, bears heavily during August, September and October. Berries are of ordinary size and very good quality.

**SUPERB**—[Perfect]. One of the best fall-bearing strawberries. Fruit large, glossy and very attractive, good flavor; plants are strong and healthy, making a good number of new plants. A very good, extensively planted one.

**PAN-AMERICAN**—[Perfect]. Will yield a bumper crop of berries in the fall months. The plants are the healthiest and largest of all the fall-bearing strawberry plants. An old variety that has been tested. Blooms and ripens until cold weather.

**AUTUMN**—[Imperfect]. This is another grand fall-bearing strawberry if grown in the hill system. It has averaged over a pint of berries to each plant. Berries not quite as large as the Crescent a June bearing variety.

## *Grow Strawberries in a Barrel.*

It is not necessary for one to own a farm to grow Strawberries, they can be successfully grown in barrels. You can bore holes in a barrel from bottom to top, then fill the barrel with good top soil as you set the plants. Fall-bearing plants set at any time during the spring in the barrel will produce good crops of luscious Strawberries in August, September and October of the same year. Standard June bearing varieties are also planted in barrels with great success. A large barrel will hold 125 plants. Give this a trial, we are sure you will never regret it.

## *The Sex and Mating of Strawberry Plants.*

In this book of Strawberry plant descriptions, the mark [Perfect] indicates a staminate or bi-sexual variety; [Imperfect] indicates a female variety. The staminate or bi-sexual, is called bi-sexual two sexes, or perfect flowering because it will produce immense quantities of fruit when set entirely by itself. In fertilizing the pistillate it is spoken of as "male" although it is not distinctly a male in sense that the pistillate is distinctly and only a female. Remember that the perfect flowering variety when set alone will produce a full crop of fruit; on the other hand pistillate or imperfect varieties ought to be mated or they will not produce a full crop of fruit. Hoping the facts just mentioned will be perfectly understood and to illustrate our meaning, we suggest that an ideal setting would be six rows of Parsons' Beauty, six rows of Haverland and so on; the same with any of the other perfect and imperfect varieties that you may choose.

## *How to Set Strawberry Plants.*



### **A Properly Pruned Plant**

*This illustration shows one of our plants with roots and crowns both pruned. Note the Vigorous Root system.*

The Strawberry will thrive in a great variety of soils and locations, almost any land that will grow good crops of corn or general farm crops will produce Strawberries.

The land should be plowed very deep, if possible, as this gives the water a chance to go down and causes moisture to rise in times of droughts, lay off the rows after you have thoroughly pulverized or made smooth by the use of some machinery, either 3 or 4 feet apart, set the plants from 12 to 18 inches apart in the row. It requires 10,500 plants to set an acre of land when the rows are 4 feet apart with plants set 1 foot apart in the row; this is a very good way to plant them. Give them clean cultivation, after planting keep all weeds and grass free from the rows; do not use chemical fertilizer heavy at the roots, you are liable to cause them to die by doing so. If possible the land where you are to set plants should be spread with old barn-yard manure before it is plowed, there is no danger in using too much barn-yard manure.

## *Pruning Roots.*

Before setting plants it is best to prune the roots back about one-fourth. Cutting off the ends of the roots causes them to callous, and they will send out numerous feeders and will make a much stronger root system than could be made if the roots were not pruned. And shortening the roots makes it easier to set the plants. In doing this pruning you simply take a pair of shears or a sharp knife and cut about 1 1-2 in. off the lower end of the roots. A full bunch of twenty-five plants may be pruned at one cutting.



# Price-List of Strawberry Plants

Early to Mid-Season	25	100	250	1000	5000
Missionary .....	\$0 20	\$0 50	\$1 00	\$2 50	\$11 50
Klondyke .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Excelsior .....	20	40	90	2 00	9 50
Ewell's Early .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Red Bird .....	20	50	1 00	2 25	10 00
Superior .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 25
Fairfield .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Lady Thompson .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Early Ozark ..	25	60	1 10	3 00	13 00
Early Rambler .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Early Queen .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Early Hathway .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Warfield (Imp) .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Early Woodrow .....	50	1 50	3 25	10 00	
Lady Corneille .....	20	60	1 10	3 00	13 00
Maples Early .....	20	40	1 00	2 25	10 00
Clyde .....	20	40	1 00	2 25	10 00
Climax .....	20	60	1 10	3 00	13 00
<b>Mid-Season to Late</b>					
Wolverton .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 25
Parsons' Beauty .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Bubach (Imp) .....	25	60	1 10	3 00	13 25
Tennessee Prolific .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Glen Mary .....	25	60	1 10	3 00	13 00
Haverland (Imp) .....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 00
Chipman's Seedling .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Fendall (Imp) .....	25	50	1 10	3 00	13 00
Norwood .....	25	50	1 10	3 00	13 00
Corsican .....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 25
New York .....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 25
Wm. Belt .....	20	50	1 10	3 00	13 00
Uncle Jim .....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 25
Senator Dunlap .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 25
Oswego .....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 25
Abington .....	20	50	1 10	3 00	13 00
Bethel .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Barkley .....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 25
Helen Davis .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Ryckman .....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 25
Parkers Earle .....	20	50	1 10	3 00	13 00
Pride of Michigan .....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 25
Pine Apple .....	20	50	1 10	3 00	13 00
Hummer .....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 25
Ekey (O. I. C.) .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Hundred Dollar .....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 25
McKinley .....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 25
Wilson .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Marshall .....	20	50	1 10	3 00	13 00
Three W's .....	20	50	1 10	3 00	13 00
Bismark .....	20	50	1 10	3 00	13 00
Success .....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Dornan .....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 25

*Price-List of Strawberry Plants, continued*

<b>Late</b>					
Chesapeake.....	30	65	1 50	4 00	17 50
Rewastico.....	25	60	1 10	3 00	13 00
Joe Johnson (Big Joe).....	25	60	1 10	3 00	13 00
Sample (Imp).....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 25
Aroma.....	20	50	1 10	2 50	11 50
Brandywine.....	20	50	1 10	2 75	12 25
Gandy (Imp).....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Nick Ohmer.....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Myer's No. 1.....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Stevens' Late Champion ..	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Duncan.....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
Mascot.....	20	50	1 10	3 00	13 00
Pride of Delaware.....	20	50	1 00	2 50	11 50
<b>Fall Bearing</b>					
Progressive.....	50	1 50	3 25	10 00	45 00
Superb.....	50	1 50	3 25	10 00	45 00
Pan-American.....	50	1 50	3 25	10 00	
Autumn.....	50	1 50	3 25	10 00	

We sell 500 plants of any one variety at the 1000 rate.

If you want your order of Strawberry plants to go by Parcels Post read Parcels Post rates on third cover page or otherwise add at the rate of 25c per 100 plants for postage.

Those marked (Imp) are imperfect bloomers and should be planted near some perfect flowering variety for best results.

Our plants are all dug from one year old beds that have never fruited and have received proper fertilizing and cultivating, weeds and grass are positively not allowed to grow with them. When buying plants of us you get first class stock, not the small ones that grow between the rows.

*Number of Plants Required to Set Out One Acre.*

1 by 1 foot, 43,560	4 by 1 foot, 10,500	6 by 1 foot, 7,260
2 by 2 feet, 10,890	4 by 2 feet, 5,445	6 by 2 feet, 3,630
3 by 1 foot, 14,520	5 by 1 foot, 8,712	7 by 1 foot, 6,122
3 by 2 feet, 7,260	5 by 2 feet, 4,356	7 by 2 feet, 3,111

**USEFUL INFORMATION****Distances for Planting**

Peach trees.....	18 feet apart each way
Standard Apple trees.....	25 feet apart each way
Pear trees.....	18 feet apart each way
Grape, rows 10 feet apart. Vines.....	8 feet apart in row
Raspberries and Dewberries, rows 6 feet apart....	Plants 3 feet apart in row
Strawberry plants, rows 4 feet apart.....	Plants 1 foot apart in row

## TESTIMONIALS.

Every letter in this catalog was sent to us by our customers. We would be pleased to have you read them, they are every word true. It is a great pleasure for us to please every customer, old or new. We will not send you any stock that we would not plant ourselves. We do not substitute without your consent, when we are sold out of a variety of trees we frankly say so, we send you what you order, give you good count, and in all cases when you allow us to substitute, we will send a variety similar to the one you ordered, as good or better. As we are familiar with all varieties of trees and plants our substitution, if any, will be to your advantage.

We are publishing only a few of the many letters received from the ones who bought stock of us last season. Wish we had room for more.



**Donald McPherson's Strawberry Field, Westport, California.**

*The above photograph was sent to us by Mr. McPherson during the month of August 1915, and shows a portion of his Strawberry patch. The plants have not, as photographed here, made their seasons growth, the photograph being taken in August. Mr. McPherson has been purchasing and setting plants from our nurseries each season of setting for the past six years.*

Gentlemen:

Philadelphia, Pa., March 17, '14.

*The trees and other stock I ordered arrived today in fine condition. Thank you for sending such healthy stock. I ordered some a few years ago from another place and they were so dead looking only a few grew.*

Very respectfully,

Mrs. M. Reith.

Gentlemen:

Girdle tree, Md., March 30, '15.

*I received the California Privet and am well pleased with it. It is very good stock.*

Yours truly,

L. W. Robinson.

Gentlemen:

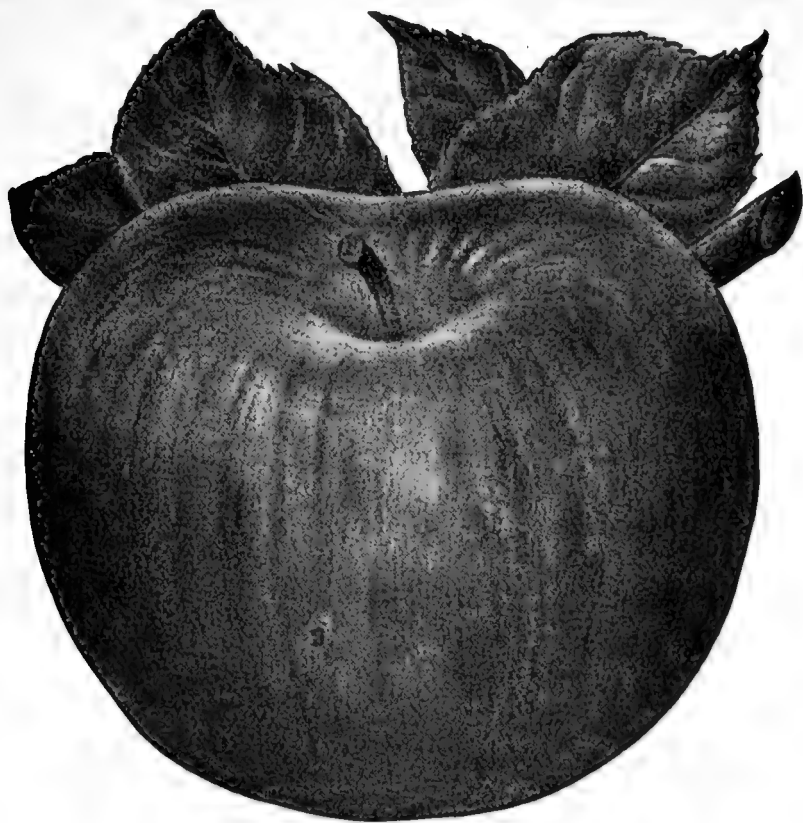
Gibbsboro, N. J., April 1, '15.

*My order arrived at noon today in first-class condition and am well pleased with the stock. Thanking you for your promptness of delivery also condition of plants on arrival which were fine.*

I remain yours,

Chas. H. Cloud.





STAYMAN'S WINESAP

## Apple Trees

Nineteen Hundred and Fifteen finds the Apple grower prospering. Every one, no matter how small his possessions may be should have an Apple orchard; if in town a few trees in the back yard would be profitable for home use. The Apple is the healthiest of all fruits. In its numerous varieties its season of ripening extends throughout the summer and autumn months, they can also be at hand during the winter without resorting to artificial means of preservation. The Apple is the only fruit grown in the temperate zone that is matured at any season of the year without preserving. Never has the Apple grower been surer of profits than at the present time. To-day, spraying and proper care of orchards, with modern methods of packing have revolutionized the whole industry. We present only a general list of the best varieties, all grown here in our nurseries; strong, well rooted trees that have received our careful attention in the way of cultivation, etc. They will please you as they do others who buy them.

**Price of Apple Trees**

	Each	10	100	1000
First-class, 2 year, 5 to 6 feet, .....	\$0.25	\$2.00	\$15.00	\$125.00
First-class, 2 year, 4 to 5 feet, .....	.20	1.50	12.00	100.00
First-class, 1 year, 3 to 4 feet, .....	.15	1.25	10.00	90.00

**Gano or Black Ben Davis.** Uniform in size; keeps until March; rapid grower, fruit very large and handsome. Flesh pale yellow, mild sub-acid. November to March.

**Northwestern Greening.** A hardy winter Apple, the size is large; color green, which turns yellow at full maturity. Flesh yellowish, fine grained tender and juicy.

**Stayman's Winesap.** Fruit medium large; skin green and yellow almost hidden by dark red stripes. Flesh yellow, firm; quality unexcelled. November to April. The best here with us.

**Grimes' Golden.** Large size. Skin golden yellow, sprinkled with gray dots. Flesh tender, crisp and juicy. One of the very best. September to January.

**Mammoth Black Twig.** One of the very best winter Apples that we grow. Extra large in size; skin smooth, yellowish covered with deep red. Flesh tender, tinged with yellow, crisp, sub-acid, aromatic, of excellent quality in every respect, and will keep in fine condition until summer apples come.

**G. G. Pippin.** Large and bright yellow when fully ripe. Flesh tender and aromatic. Season September to January.

**Ben Davis.** Succeeds wherever apples are grown. Good keeper. Large, round, yellow with red stripes. Flesh white, juicy, sub-acid. Season November to March.

**York Imperial.** (Johnson's Fine Winter). Medium, white, shaded with crimson in the sun, juicy, crisp, mild, sub-acid. Tree moderately vigorous and productive. This is a large and beautiful red winter apple, originating in Pennsylvania, where it is a great success. Its foliage and fruit are free from scab. Its skin is bright yellow covered with bright red and striped; it is a good shipper, bringing the highest prices. Its bright red sells the fruit. This is the leading variety in Pennsylvania. Very hardy and suitable to any part of the country.

**Jonathan.** Medium, roundish, yellow, nearly covered with red, fine grained, tender and finely flavored. Tree slender and spreading with light colored shoots. Great apple of the West and Northwestern states. Succeeds in the East also. Most beautiful of apples. Season November to April.

**Rome Beauty.** This is a hardy, large and handsome apple, almost entirely covered with bright red, of highest quality. December to March. One of the best.

**Winesap.** Large, roundish, oblong; little yellow ground appearing on the shady side; flesh yellow, firm, crisp, with rich high flavor; quality very good, and highly esteemed wherever grown. Season November to May.

**Baldwin.** Large, roundish, skin deep red; flesh juicy, crisp, sub-acid, good flavor; very vigorous and productive. The best all-around winter apple for New England and Northern states. Splendid keeper. December to March.

**Wealthy.** An American that is becoming very popular on account of its handsome appearance and early fruiting. Hardy and productive. Fruit large size, roundish, skin smooth, splashed with dark red; flesh white, tender, juicy, sub-acid. November to January.

**Yellow Transparent.** If you want the best and the most productive summer apple, plant Yellow Transparent. It succeeds well North and West. It will bear fruit in the nursery row on trees two years old. It's a strong upright grower and a great bearer.

**Red Astrachan.** Large, roundish, nearly covered with deep crimson, over-spread with a thick bloom, juicy rich, acid beautiful. The tree is a vigorous grower, with a large foliage; a good bearer. August.

**Red June.** Medium in size, red. Flesh white, tender, sub-acid, beautiful. The tree is a vigorous grower, with large foliage. Abundant bearer. July.

**Winter Banana.** Size large, golden yellow, and beautifully shaded with bright crimson red. Flesh lemon yellow, fine grained, sub-acid, rich, aromatic flavor. Season November to January.

**Maiden Blush.** One of the most beautiful; pale lemon with crimson cheek; flesh white, tender and crisp. October.

**Northern Spy.** Large, bright, light red and yellow. Flesh juicy, rich, crisp, tender, aromatic, of good flavor. Tree strong grower. November to March.

**Wolf River.** Winter. Exceedingly large and handsome. Skin is a bright yellow, mottled and blushed with deep red. Remarkably good shipper.

**Early Harvest.** Ripens in August. Medium size; pale yellow; fine flavor. Tree a moderate grower and a good bearer.

**McIntosh.** Medium size, nearly covered with a bright red; flesh yellowish, tender, juicy; sub-acid. October to February.

**Spitzenburg.** Winter. Medium size, round; dark red almost all over; firm, crisp, sub-acid. One of the very richest flavored of all apples.

### *Directions for Transplanting Trees*

Prepare the ground as for a crop of corn; dig the holes large enough to admit the roots without crowding them. Avoid any unnecessary exposure of the roots to sun or wind. Just take a small number in the field at a time and keep the balance covered until wanted. The injured parts of the roots should be cut off smoothly with a sharp knife.

Shortening the branches is another very important matter to tree life. It consists of cutting back the ends of the branches, but to what extent it should be done depends upon the portion of the trees' roots that have been lost. If a tree has lost the greater portion of its roots, then a severe shortening will be necessary; but in all cases they should be shortened at the head to a certain extent.

The trees should have good clean cultivation, and as often as you do your corn crop. Hoed crops may be planted in the orchard for the first 4 years, after that the trees should have all of the soils substance.

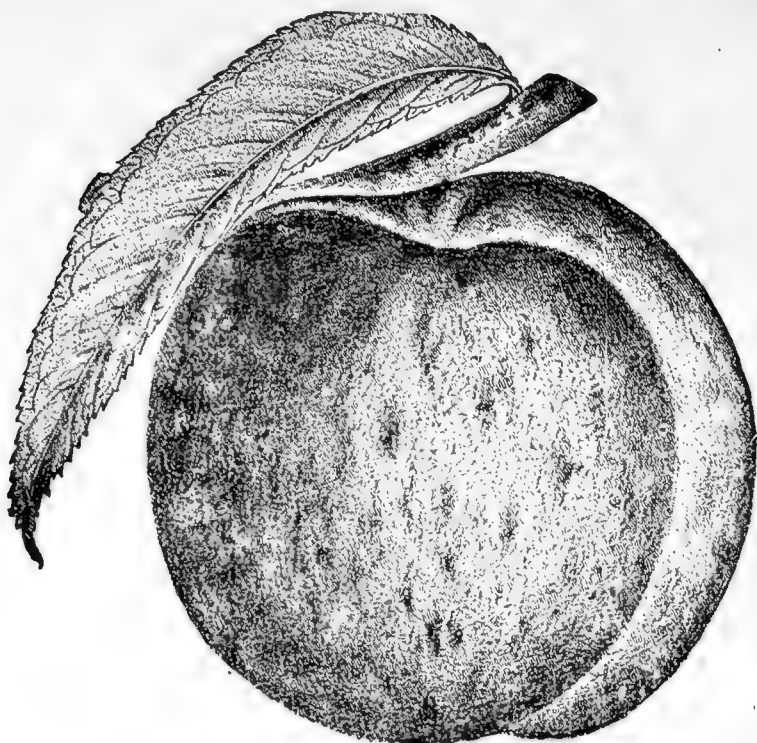
Dear Sirs:

Wyoming, Del., March 23, '15.

The berries I received two years ago were fine, they arrived in fine condition and have done well. The Plum Farmer Black Raspberry is a good one, it yields abundantly. Our 'Parsons' Beauty Strawberry plants were fine and made a splendid yield. Wishing you success, I am

Yours truly,

I. G. Oros.



CARMAN

## Peach Trees

We are located in one of the greatest Peach growing sections. The Diamond State Peaches are the highest standard of this fruit in the great Peach markets, and it is from this great strain of trees that we propagate trees which we ship to you. All trees are budded from our own bearing orchards, therefore we also know that they are true-to-name. The Peach crop of 1915 was the largest ever known all over the country, the majority of which was sold for low prices, this fact was due to the weather conditions which continued cold during March from the state of Maine to the state of Georgia causing all trees from North to South to bloom at about the same date in April, for this reason the entire crop from North to South ripened about the same time, from all reports this was never known before and probably may never happen again, although the majority of growers made money. It pays to plant Peach trees, whether a single tree in the back yard or a commercial orchard. To the commercial planter we can only say, it is the one that sticks to his business or profession that succeeds best.

### Price of Peach Trees

	Each	10	100	1000
First-class, 1 year, 4 to 5 feet, $\frac{5}{8}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ ...	\$0.15	\$1.30	\$8.00	\$70.00
First-class, 1 year, 3 to 4 feet, $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{3}{8}$ ...	.10	.80	7.00	60.00

**Saratoga.** A fine late, large, yellow clingstone. If you want a yellow clingstone for canning or other purposes, there is none better than *Saratoga*.

**Ray.** Tree a fine grower. Fruit ripens early in August, of large size, very productive, white with red blush.

**Greensboro.** Ripens here from June 25th to July 10th. Our earliest peach to ripen. Large in size, white in color with a red cheek, flesh rich and melting, very juicy; tree a strong grower. Anyone who has a yard or garden should set a few trees of this wonderful peach.

**Darwin.** A perfect freestone. Ripens with us from Sept. 20th to Oct. 1st. Fruit is extra large in size, color yellow with a dark red cheek on sunny side, flesh yellow, red at seed. Tree a very strong grower.

**Frances.** Freestone. Ripens last of August. A seedling of *Elberta* and of same size; tree a strong grower; fruit very large, yellow in color with a deep blush on sunny side, flesh yellow, very sweet. A good shipper.

**Oldmixon Free.** Freestone. Ripens with *Elberta*. Succeeds well in all localities. Skin is of a yellowish white with a red cheek; flesh white and red at the seed, juicy and sweet.

**Elberta.** Ripens here with us about the middle of August. Very large, skin golden yellow, with fine red cheek; flesh is yellow, juicy and extremely high flavored, a perfect freestone. This is the most successful variety yet introduced. Succeeds well both north and south and in any section of the country that will grow peaches; tree is a hardy grower and medium to heavy bearer.

**Carman.** Of Chinese type. A freestone when fully ripe; ripens here about the middle of July to first of August; tree is rather low, spreading habit, has a dark colored foliage; very hardy in fruit buds and extremely productive. Fruit is large, rich creamy white and pink. *Carman* is one of the most beautiful peaches grown and the best one for early market.

**Champion.** Ripens early in August with us. Semi-cling until fully ripe, then a freestone; size very large and good quality, flesh rich creamy white, with deep red cheek, delicious and sweet, very firm, Very hardy in fruit bud.

**Belle of Georgia.** Ripens here early in August. A perfect freestone. Holds the same prominent position among the white peaches as the *Elberta* does among the yellow, for this reason it is called by many "The white-fleshed sister of *Elberta*." It is more hardy in fruit-bud than *Elberta*; very productive of extra large, oblong, creamy white fruit, with red blush on side next to the sun. Its sugar sweetness tends to make it one of the best Peaches grown.

**Chair's Choice.** Begins to ripen with us about the first of September. A freestone. Fruit of extra large size, deep yellow covered on sunny side with deep red, a very good shipper; flesh of the sweetest and richest grape flavor. Very good for home use as well as market.

**Crawford's Late.** Ripens with *Chair's Choice*. Freestone. High quality and very large size; flesh deep yellow; skin yellow with a broad dark red cheek.

**Hiley.** Ripens about a week before the *Belle of Georgia*, also a seedling of the *Belle*. Tree very hardy; a large creamy white peach with rich blush on sunny side; a long keeper and good shipper. Freestone.

**White Heath Cling.** Fruit extra large and roundish, flesh white and exceedingly juicy. A fine late peach for canning purposes; will keep a long time after being taken from the tree. Ripens September 10th to 25th.



## Crab Apple Trees

### Price of Crab Apple Trees

	Each	10	100
First-class, 2 year, 4 to 5 feet, .....	\$0.25	\$2.00	\$18.00

**Transcendent Crab.** Fruit large for its class, golden yellow with a beautiful, rich crimson cheek; when ripe, red and crimson covers the fruit; flesh creamy yellow, sub-acid. Tree a rapid grower and very productive. September.

**Florence Crab.** Large, handsome crimson, splashed with dark red, good grower, very prolific and one of the best. September.



## Pear Trees

### Prices of Pear Trees

	Each	10	100	1000
2 year, 6 to 7 feet, .....	\$0.10	\$3.50	\$30.00	\$125.00
2 year, 5 to 6 feet, .....	.35	3.00	25.00	100.00

**Kieffer.** The Kieffer has become one of the most profitable market pears. It is an abundant and regular bearer, unsurpassed as a shipper, can market it to a good advantage, much in demand by canners and when properly canned is delicious. Tree is the strongest grower of all pear trees. A beautiful yellow pear with red cheek, large size. Season late October with us. Will produce ten bushels of pears to the tree when ten years old, starts fruiting successfully when three years old.

**Bartlett.** Ripens from August to middle of September. More generally popular than any other pear. Good, strong grower. Flesh is white, fine grained, luscious, large and buttery, has a rich, melting flavor and very sweet. A good one for home consumption as well as for market purposes.

## Cherry Trees

### Prices of Cherry Trees

	Each	10	100
First-class, 4 to 6 feet.....	\$0.30	\$2.75	\$25.00

**Black Tartarian.** [Sweet]. Black; very large, juicy and rich, fine flavor. Wonderfully productive; tree a strong grower. Deserves general culture. Last of June.

**Dye House.** Medium size, skin red, flesh rich, soft, juicy and tender; sprightly, sub-acid. Ripens one week before Early Richmond.

**Early Richmond.** [Kentish]. Medium size, dark red, melting, juicy, sprightly acid flavor. June.

## Plum Trees

### Prices of Plum Trees

	Each	10	100
First-class, 4 to 6 feet,.....	\$0.30	\$2.75	\$25.00

**Red June.** Ripens first of August. Fruit medium large; flesh light lemon yellow; half cling; slightly sub-acid and of good quality.

**Burbank.** Fruit very large, dark violet red; flesh juicy and pleasant. Very productive. Middle of August. Extensively planted.

**Abundance.** Fruit very large and showy; flesh light yellow, exceedingly juicy, tender and sweet. A good market variety. July.

## Quince Trees

### Prices of Quince Trees

First-Class—30c each; \$2.75 for 10.

*Varieties*—Bourgeat & Champion.

## Currants

Strong 2 year old: 15c each, \$1.00 for 10, \$2.50 for 50.

If to go by mail 60c per 100 for postage.

**Wilder.** [Red]. Strong grower. Fruit large, firm and very productive.

**Fay's Prolific.** [Red]. Fruit large and very firm. Heavily planted everywhere.

## Gooseberries

Plants 15c each, 10 for \$1.25.

*Varieties*—Houghton [Red] & Downing [Red].

Gentlemen:

Herndon, Va., March 4, '14.

The Apple trees came in good condition and in a good time, were very nice. A lot of Strawberry plants bought of you in 1913 produced remarkably well last year in spite of the drouth.

Yours truly,

Alfred Stanton.

## Raspberries

**St. Regis.** [Everbearing]. Judged by many to be the very best raspberry grown anywhere at this time. It is the earliest of all raspberries, begins to ripen while strawberries are wanning. The berries are red of a bright crimson, large size and will yield enormous crops of fruit from early spring until late fall when severe frosts occur. For the last two years there has been more St. Regis plants set than any other one variety of raspberries. Succeeds on all soils, can stand severe cold weather without damage, absolutely hardy. We strongly advise you to plant heavy of this variety, there is no doubt about you being pleased with the results. We guarantee these plants to give satisfaction.

Price: 75c for 25, \$2.00 for 100, \$6.00 for 500, \$11.00 for 1,000.

**Plum Farmer.** [Black]. A great favorite for home and market use throughout the country. The fruit is of good size, often measuring one-half inch in diameter. We unhesitatingly recommend this variety of raspberries to any grower. The Plum Farmer is spoken of as being the best black raspberry on earth. Our crop of berries from this variety sold for 10c per quart last season.

Price: 60c for 25, \$1.00 for 50, \$1.50, for 100, \$5.00 for 500, \$10.00 for 1000.



## Dewberries

Price: 40c for 25, 60c for 50, \$1.00 for 100, \$3.25 for 500, \$6.00 for 1,000.

**Austin** [Improved]. An early dewberry of excellent quality, produces big crops of big berries, ripens about a week earlier than Lucretia.

**Lucretia.** The most largely grown of all dewberries for market. Earlier than the earliest blackberry, and as large as the largest of them.

## Grape Vines

Strong 3 year old: 15c each, \$1.00 for 10, \$8.00 for 100.

Strong 1 year old: 8c each, 70c for 10, \$6.00 for 100.

**Concord.** One of the most popular black varieties of grapes in America. The bunch is large, shouldered and compact; the skin is tender, flesh juicy and sweet. Succeeds over a great extent of the country.

**Niagara.** Holds the same prominent position among the white grapes as the Concord does among the black. Fruit is juicy, tender and melting sweet.

**Catawba.** The standard red grape. Very hardy and productive, large size, very firm. A good market variety.

Gentlemen:

Walden, N. Y.

Enclosed find check for the amount of bill for trees and plants. Certainly were nice trees and am well pleased with them.

Yours very truly,

Walkill Valley Farmers Association, J. K. Brown, Vice-President.

# Asparagus

Asparagus is one of the most profitable crops grown. It is in great demand in all markets, always selling for very high prices. The demand is much greater than the supply as asparagus is not extensively planted except in only a few localities, yet it can be grown in all localities with great success for market purposes, as it is being grown with the best success all over the country by many for home consumption. It is ready for market in April and May and the income derived from it is especially appreciated at this time of year. Set the plants either in the fall or spring, from 4 to 5 inches deep, covering with only two inches at first, cover the remainder as they grow during the summer, the rows should be 3 feet apart, with plants set from one to two feet apart in the row. Broadcast about 8 bushels of salt or 300 pounds Nitrate of Soda to the acre in March, either one makes a good fertilizer. Give it a good top-dressing of stable manure in November. The roots usually give a splendid crop for 20 years. May be successfully planted until June first.

Price, 1 year old roots, 40c for 50, 60c for 100, \$2.80 for 1000.

Price, 2 year old roots, 60c for 50, 80c for 100, \$4.00 for 1000.



**Palmetto.** Of Southern origin. Very large and productive. Most extensively planted of all asparagus.

**Conover's Colossal.** An old variety, well known in all localities. Large and makes a rapid growth. Very popular.

**Giant Argenteuil.** This variety is largely grown in France. Stalks are of immense size, rich and tender. Earlier than the other varieties.

**Barr's Mammoth.** Early and very large; makes a rapid growth. A general favorite.

We have for this spring delivery an extra large stock of both one and two year old roots and will quote very attractive prices on large orders. We are offering nothing but the best varieties under cultivation.

## Number of Trees to an Acre

Trees planted	25 feet apart each way.....	requires	69 trees to the acre
" "	20 " " " " .....	"	109 " " " "
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" "	10 " " " " .....	"	435 " " " "



NORWAY MAPLE

## Shade and Ornamental Trees

**Norway Maple.** A large handsome tree of spreading rounded form, with broad, deep green foliage. Its strong growth renders it one of the most desirable species for street planting. Very popular in all localities. A good one.

	Each	10	100
5 to 6 feet.....	\$0.50	\$4.00	\$35.00
8 to 10 feet.....	1.25	11.00	100.00
10 to 12 feet.....	1.50	14.00	125.00

**Silver Maple.** Produces a quick shade, and is especially noted for street and yard planting. There are few trees superior to the Silver Maple; it is free from disease and is the most rapid grower of all maples. Extensively planted.

	Each	10	100
9 to 10 feet.....	\$0.40	\$2.75	\$25.00
10 to 12 feet.....	.45	3.75	30.00
12 to 14 feet.....	.50	4.50	35.00

**Catalpa Speciosa.** Originated in the west. Very popular throughout the country, makes a very quick growth, the trunk grows straight and smooth, a very good one to plant in yards, parks and streets. The first frost in fall will bring down the leaves. Owing to its rapid growth and very good keeping qualities after being cut it is largely planted in some sections of the country for railroad ties, fence posts and telephone poles.

	Each	10	100
5 to 7 feet.....	\$0.45	\$4.00	\$30.00
7 to 8 feet.....	.55	5.00	45.00

## Evergreen Trees

**Norway Spruce.** Perfectly hardy, beautiful growth, drooping branches; long and dense in structure, regular in outline. Extensively planted.

	Each	10	100
1½ to 2 feet.....	\$0 30	\$2 50	\$20 00
2 to 3 feet.....	40	3 50	
3 to 4 feet.....	60	4 50	

**Scotch Pine.** A large tree, very hardy and healthy, foliage bluish green and very dense.

Price, 2 to 3 feet, 75c each; \$6.00 per 10.

**White Pine.** The most valuable pine, with regular whorls of horizontal branches. Very popular.

Price, 75c each; \$5.00 for 10.

**Douglas Spruce.** Very hardy, foliage grows downward, the tips of branches bear 3 cones. Very beautiful.

Price, 18 to 24 inches 75c each, \$6.00 for 10.

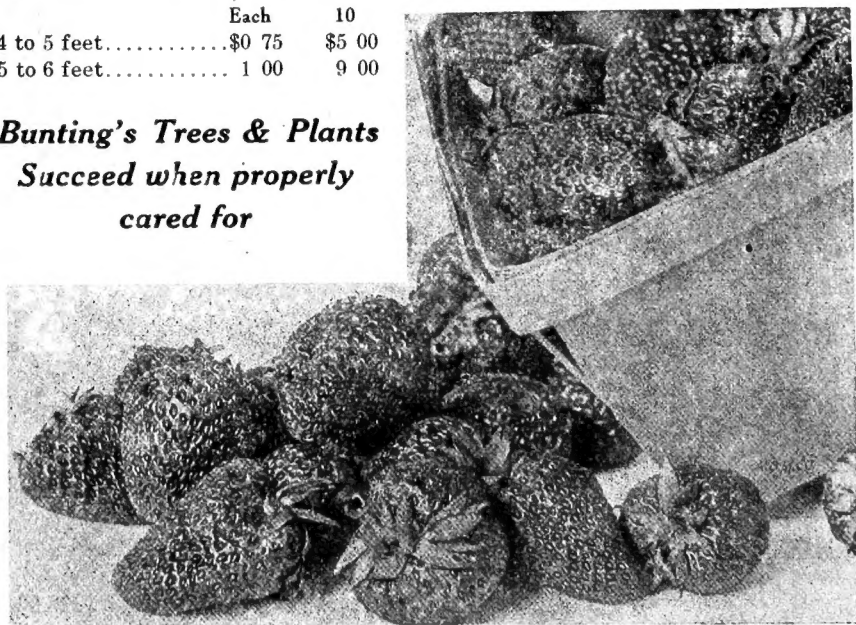
**Koster's Blue Spruce.** Rapid grower, foliage silvery blue and very dense.

Price, 18 to 24 inches \$2.00 each.

**European Larch.** A very quick grower and very beautiful, branches grow downward, are light green, bushy and regular.

	Each	10
4 to 5 feet.....	\$0 75	\$5 00
5 to 6 feet.....	1 00	9 00

**Bunting's Trees & Plants**  
*Succeed when properly  
 cared for*



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## Flowering Shrubs

**Spiræa Van Houttei.** The king of all shrubs; the most showy of all the Spiræas, and one of the very best shrubs in cultivation. The plant is rather tall, with long slender branches that gracefully droop with their weight of foliage and flowers. Flowers are pure white, and in great clusters. Very hardy. Extensively planted.

Price, 2 to 3 feet 35c each, \$3.00 for 10, \$12.00 for 50.

**Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora.** Well known and very popular everywhere. A beautiful, tall shrub with leaves of bright, shiny green; flowers borne in huge panicles from 8 to 12 inches long. Can be grown in tree form.

Price, first-class 2 feet 35c each, \$3.00 for 10, \$12.00 for 50.

**Purple Lilac.** Produces an abundance of purple heart-shaped flowers. Too well known for a description. Extensively planted.

Price, first-class 4 feet 45c each, \$4.00 for 10.

## Roses

**Dorothy Perkins.** A wonderful rose, bearing immense trusses of delightful pink flowers, which hold their color for a long time without fading. The plant is a very vigorous grower. Very popular.

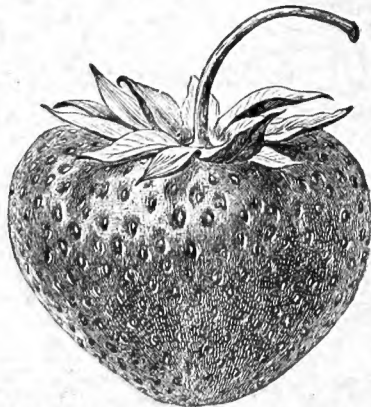
Price, 25c each, \$2.00 for 10, \$9.00 for 50.

**Pink Rambler.** Delightful pink. Very popular. 30 cents each.

**Crimson Rambler.** Deep crimson. Flowers in trusses. 30 cents each.

**Philadelphia Rambler.** Red, shining flowers. 30 cents each.

**American Beauty.** Large, globular, deep pink shaded with carmine. 40c each.



EARLY OZARK



## SHIPMENTS BY PARCELS POST.

Plants of all kinds are now admitted to the mails as Fourth Class Matter; maximum weight, 50 pounds in the first and second zones, 20 pounds in all other zones. We cannot send any stock in Canada by mail, it must go by express as plants from the United States are excluded from the mails by the Canadian authorities. We are giving estimate of weight of plants when packed for shipment but as plants vary so much it is impossible to give the exact weight as some varieties grow larger than others. We are also giving rates for different zones. After making up your order, ask your postmaster which zone Selbyville, Delaware is in from your postoffice, and with the zone rate we are here publishing you can easily figure the amount of postage to send. Please be sure and send enough postage, if you send more than is required, all over, if only one cent, will be returned to you—we will not keep one cent of your money. Please remember that the full amount of postage has to be paid when we send plants, etc. by mail, and if you do not send enough to pay postage, your order will go by Express Collect, as we cannot keep accounts and send bills for small amounts of postage. In all cases shipments weighing 6 pounds or more, go more cheaply by express than by mail to points west of the Mississippi river. Packages of any considerable size can be shipped better to all points by express than by mail, and usually at less cost, as express rates have lately been cut from 20 to 50 per cent. on trees and plants, which means quite an item for fruit growers all over the country.

### ESTIMATED WEIGHT OF STOCK WHEN PACKED.

100 Strawberry plants	4 lbs.	100 Grape vines, 1 yr.	10 lbs.
100 Dewberry plants	6 lbs.	100 Grape vines, 2 yr.	25 lbs.
100 Raspberry plants	7 lbs.	100 Asparagus roots, 1 yr.	5 lbs.
100 Currant plants	20 lbs.	100 Asparagus roots, 2 yr.	10 lbs.
100 Gooseberry plants	20 lbs.	100 California Privet, small size	16 lbs.

### UNITED STATES PARCELS POST RATES

First Zone—Within 50 miles of Selbyville, Del.	5 cents	1 cent
Second Zone—50 to 150 miles of “ “	5	1
Third Zone—160 to 300 miles of “ “	6	2
Fourth Zone—300 to 600 miles of “ “	7	4
Fifth Zone—600 to 1000 miles of “ “	8	6
Sixth Zone—1000 to 1400 miles of “ “	9	8
Seventh Zone—1400 to 1800 miles of “ “	11	10
Eighth Zone—Over 1800 miles of “ “	12	12

## *Certificate of Nursery Inspection*

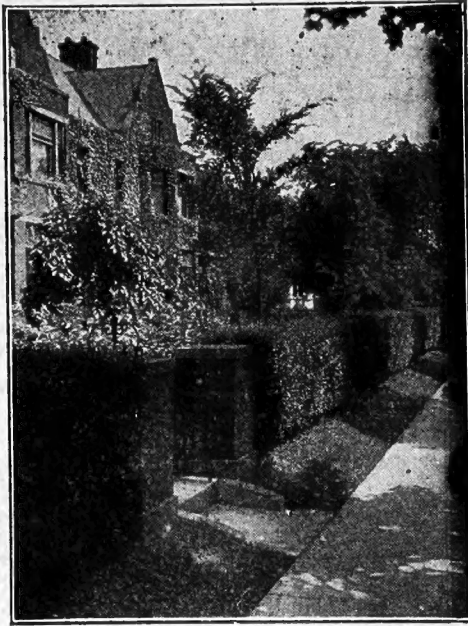
Dover, Delaware, September 4, 1915.

To Whom It May Concern:

This certifies that I have this day examined the nursery stock and premises of the Nurseries of G. E. Bunting & Sons, Selbyville, Sussex county, Delaware, and that said nursery stock is apparently free from crown gall, peach yellows, peach rosette, the San Jose scale and all other plant diseases and insects of a seriously dangerous nature, and that may be transferred on nursery stock.

This certificate may be revoked by the State Board of Agriculture for cause, and it is invalid after August 31, 1916, and does not include nursery stock not grown on the above named premises unless such stock is covered by certificate of State or Government officer and accepted by the State Board of Agriculture.

WESLEY WEBB, Inspector.



## California Privet Hedge

The most popular of all hedge plants, and decidedly the finest and best of all for forming an ornamental hedge; its foliage produces abundantly the deepest, richest green, almost an evergreen; does not shed its foliage until late in winter and then only in an exposed condition. It is very hardy, easily and quickly pruned and will thrive well on any soil that will show any sign of plant life. Can be kept down to 18 inches or you can let it grow as high as you wish, you may have it wide or narrow. They should be planted about one inch deeper than they were in the nursery row, the soil should be well pulverized about 18 inches deep and 2 feet wide, use some well rotted stable manure at the roots mixed with some of the top soil [do not use new manure or any commercial fertilizers], set the plants 6 inches apart in the row, dip the roots in water before planting, after plants are set cut them back within 7 inches of the top of the ground, this will cause a thick new growth to start, then do not cut back again until they have made 12 or 18 inches of new growth which they will have before the season of growing is at an end, a coat of stable manure should be spread around them after they are planted, keep it free from weeds the first two years and by this time it will get its start, then nature will do the rest. Did you ever realize what an admiring and luxuriant Privet Hedge you could secure at a very small cost and a little work, and how much it will add to the value of your property? To find the exact number of plants wanted, measure the space where you wish to plant them and multiply the number of feet by 2. Our stock of Privet is strictly first-class and well rooted. Can be planted until June 1st.

	10	100	250	500	1000
1 year, 6 to 12 inches.....	\$0 20	\$1 00	\$2 25	\$4 00	\$8 00
1 year, 12 to 18 inches.....	30	1 50	3 50	6 25	12 00
1 year, 18 to 24 inches.....	40	2 00	4 00	7 25	14 50
2 year, 2 to 3 feet.....	50	2 25	5 50	10 00	20 00
2 year, 3 to 4 feet.....	60	3 00	6 50	12 00	24 00
3 year, 4 to 5 feet.....	70	3 50	8 50	16 00	32 00

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